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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
OAKLAND DIVISION**

U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE
COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

v.

CROWD MACHINE, INC., METAVINE, INC.,
and CRAIG DEREL SPROULE,

Defendants,

and

METAVINE PTY. LTD.,

Relief Defendant.

Case No. 4:22-cv-0076 (HSG)

**STIPULATION AND ORDER
CONTINUING CASE
MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE AND
EXTENDING TIME TO SUBMIT
JOINT CASE MANAGEMENT
STATEMENT**

Plaintiff U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (“SEC”), defendants Crowd Machine, Inc. and Metavine, Inc.,¹ and relief defendant Metavine Pty. Ltd. (collectively, the “Parties”), by and through their undersigned counsel, hereby stipulate as follows:

WHEREAS, on January 25, 2022, this Court issued an order (ECF No. 6) scheduling a telephonic case management conference for March 1, 2022 at 2:00 p.m. and directing the parties to submit a joint case management statement by February 22, 2022;

¹ With the Court’s entry of the final consent judgment against defendant Craig Sproule on January 11, 2022 (ECF No. 12), the SEC’s action against Mr. Sproule was resolved in its entirety and thus his participation in further case management activities is no longer necessary.

WHEREAS, counsel to defendants Crowd Machine, Inc. and Metavine, Inc., and relief defendant Metavine Pty. Ltd. first contacted counsel to SEC and filed notices of appearance in this action on February 17, 2022;

WHEREAS, counsel to the Parties have not yet had an opportunity to confer regarding scheduling issues or the preparation of a joint case management statement; and

WHEREAS, the Parties intend to confer and to submit a joint case management statement that will assist the Court in resolving this action efficiently and expeditiously:

IT IS ACCORDINGLY STIPULATED pursuant to Civil L.R. 6-2 and 7-12, subject to this Court's approval, that:

- i. The case management conference previously scheduled for March 1, 2022 at 2:00 p.m. is rescheduled for March 22, 2022 at 2:00 p.m.; and
- ii. The Parties shall submit a joint case management statement by March 8, 2022.

Dated: February 22, 2022

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Dated: February 22, 2022

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Pursuant to Civil L.R. 5-1(h)(3), all signatories concur in filing this stipulation.

Dated: February 22, 2022

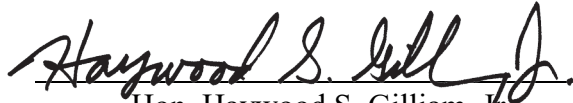
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ORDER

PURSUANT TO STIPULATION, IT IS SO ORDERED

Dated: February 22, 2022


Hon. Haywood S. Gilliam, Jr.
United States District Judge